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Submitted herewith is a Supplemental Declaration, Power of Attorney, and Petition signed by the applicant herein indicating the prior filed foreign application Taiwan Patent Application No. 091218102, filed November 12, 2002.

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Structure for fastening shipboard-protecting fender

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Application Serial No. 10/828,866 and was amended on _____ as
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)

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